

THE MARYLAND GAZETTE,

Containing the latest Advices foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, September 17, 1761.

L O N D O N, June 16.

FROM the Terms of the Turkish Manifesto, and the Nature of the Armament, we may presume that the Grand Signior intends to attack either the Island of Malta, or some Italian Power that supports it; and therefore, the Emperor and the Empress Queen have enjoined the Knights of Malta in their Italian Dominions not to stir for the Defence of that Island, as they cannot at once maintain a Prussian and a Turkish War: But, if after all the great Bustle in fitting out a mighty Fleet, the Turks should keep it in Harbour, and suddenly order his Armies to advance towards the Danube, the Court of Vienna would then become the Dupe of its Reluctance to make Peace without Silesia; and the House of Austria might possibly receive Measure for Measure, even the very same that they have manifestly intended for Prussia.

Malta is an Island in the Mediterranean, situated 60 Miles South of Cape Passaro in Sicily, and 200 Miles East of Tunis in Africa. It is of an Oval Figure, 20 Miles long, and 12 broad. It is a white soft Rock, covered a Foot deep with Earth, producing Indigo, Cotton, Grapes, Olives, Figs, Lemons, Oranges, and other Fruits; but they have not Corn sufficient for their own Use, nor do they make any Wine, but import both from Sicily. It was successively subject to the Phœnicians, Carthaginians, and Romans. The Emperor Charles V. gave it to the Knights of St. John of Jerusalem, after they had lost the Island of Rhodes, which they defended for 200 Years against all the Turkish Power. They were attacked by Sultan Soliman in 1566; but he was forced to give over his Enterprize, and lost above 20,000 Men in the Attempt. They are engaged in a perpetual War with the Turks, Algerines, and other Mahometans. The Knights make a Vow of Celibacy, Chastity, &c. In regard to Matrimony, they generally keep it, but introduce great Numbers of Grecian Girls, who serve them as Concubines. Malta, the Capital City, consists of three Towns, separated by Channels, which form so many Peninsulas of solid Rock, rising a great Height above the Sea, and have secure Harbours within them, capable of receiving large Fleets; and as the Situation is strong, so no Art is wanting to make it impregnable. The Streets are spacious, and their Houses are built of white Stone hewn out of their Rocks. Besides the City, there are in the Island 26 Parishes, and between 30 and 40 Villages, containing 50,000 Souls. It is the See of a Bishop, Suffragan of Palermo in Sicily.

B O S T O N, August 31.

By Advice from Quebec, we hear that the Canadians say, they have not had, for nineteen Years past, equal Ease and Leisure for the Cultivation of their Lands.—That there was a promising Appearance of fine Crops of Grain the Beginning of last Month.—That the Governor had sent from Quebec an Engineer by the Chaudiere to Fort Halifax; it is likewise talked of another Engineer going from thence to the River St. John, down to the Bay of Fundy; there are Indians employed to assist and guide the Engineers. We may hope for great Advantages from the accurate Surveys and Observations of those Gentlemen, and obtain a certain Knowledge of our own Frontiers, which, till very lately, we knew little of, but from the French Accounts.

The Province Ship King George, Captain Hal-
lowell, sails this Day as Convoy to a Storeship bound to New-York.

We hear that a Vessel is arrived at Halifax, in six Weeks and two Days from London; and that she brought Advice, That there were the greatest Preparations making in England for another very important Expedition.—That M. Bussy, who it is said was sent from France to England, to negotiate a Cessation of Arms, had not succeeded in

his Expectations, but was returned to Paris: And that there was great Prospect of the War still continuing.

We have Advice from Antigua, that from the 14th of June to the 18th of July last, no less than 23 Sail of the Enemy's Vessels have been taken by our Men of War and Cruizers, and sent into that and St. Kitts, four of which were Privateers, besides two retaken Brigs from Piscataqua.

Yesterday Morning his Majesty's Ship Chesterfield, Captain Scarfe, sailed from Nantasket for Casco Bay, from whence she is to proceed to England with the Mast-Ships, and a Number of other Vessels under her Convoy.

We hear the Merchants of this Place have remitted Home in the Chesterfield near 100,000 Dollars; and 'tis said the Number would have been much larger, had the Ship staid longer, and Dollars could have been procured.

N E W - Y O R K, September 7.

Wednesday last the General Assembly of this Province met here pursuant to Prorogation, when the Session was opened with the following

SPEECH of the Honourable CADWALLADER COLDEN, Esq; His Majesty's Lieutenant-Governor and Commander in Chief of the Province of New-York, and the Territories depending thereon in America, to the Council and General Assembly of the said Province.

Gentlemen of the Council, and General Assembly,
SINCE our last Meeting, I have the Honour of His Majesty's Commission, appointing me His Lieutenant-Governor. As this is a Mark of the Royal Approbation, my Thanks are due to you, for that effectual Support and Assistance, so readily afforded on your Part, and so necessary on mine, in the Discharge of the weighty Duties of Government.

The Time for which the Forces raised in the Province were enlisted, already near expiring, it is not possible the regular Troops destined for the important intended Expedition, can return before it is elapsed; and as in their Absence, a small Body of Men will be necessary for the Protection of the several Forts, and the whole Country: His Excellency Gen. AMHERST, by his Letter of the 15th of June, now laid before you, desires me to recommend your continuing in Pay, for a longer Period, a Company, to consist of 173 Men, including a Captain and three Subalterns; the Quota of this Government, agreeable to the Numbers required of the several Colonies for this essential Service.

Your Meeting could not have taken Place, after the Receipt of the General's Letter, earlier than the Harvest, a Season so inconvenient, that, by the Advice of His Majesty's Council, who were of Opinion you would not hesitate in complying with this moderate and necessary Requisition, I delayed calling you together till this Time.

Gentlemen of the General Assembly,

The Supplies to be granted, bear so little Proportion to what we might have expected, and to that Weight of Expence you have hitherto cheerfully sustained; that to press you to it by Arguments, may be thought injurious to that Zeal for His Majesty's Service, and the Safety of His Colonies, so conspicuous in your own, and the Conduct of the Representatives of the loyal People of this Province, on every former Occasion.

The present unfavourable Disposition of the Indians on the Borders of Ulster and Orange, creates great Uneasiness among the Inhabitants.—The Information I have received will be communicated, and as some Expence may be incurred, in the Prosecution of the Measures necessary to deter these Savages from Acts of Violence, and to bring them back to their Duty, you will consider whether it may not be prudent, by some Fund for contingent Services, to strengthen the Hands of Government, that the most effectual Protection may be given to the Settlements on any Emergency.

Gentlemen of the Council, and General Assembly,
What appears immediately essential for your Deliberation I have laid before you. It would afford me the greatest Pleasure to contribute to the Happiness, Ease and Prosperity of the good People of this Province: But as the Powers of Government will, probably, soon be lodged in the Hands of Major-General MONCKTON, whose Services His Majesty hath been pleased to distinguish, by constituting him his Captain-General and Governor in Chief, I think it improper for me to recommend any Thing to you, which may be delayed without public Inconvenience.

CADWALLADER COLDEN.
Fort-George, New-York, Sept. 2, 1761.

To the Honourable CADWALLADER COLDEN, Esq; His Majesty's Lieutenant-Governor and Commander in Chief of the Province of New-York, and the Territories depending thereon in America:
The Humble ADDRESS of the Council of the Province of New-York.

May it please your Honour,

THE Council beg Leave to return you their Thanks for your Speech, and to offer you their Congratulations on your Advancement to the Dignity of Lieutenant-Governor.—A Mark not only of the Royal Favour, but of His Majesty's Approbation of your Conduct, in the Discharge of the weighty Duties of Government.—The same Zeal, and unwearied Diligence, hitherto so conspicuous, we doubt not will be continued throughout your Administration.

Professing the most unshaken Loyalty to our Sovereign, and fully sensible of the Advantages derived to these Colonies, from the happy Successes attending the vigorous Prosecution of the War; you may, Sir, rely on our ready Assent to the Aid required by the General, whose Fortitude, Wisdom, and Benevolence, have justly acquired him the Confidence and Esteem of His Majesty's Subjects on this extensive Continent.

Council-Chamber, New-York, Sept. 3, 1761. By Order of the Council, A. KENNEDY, Speaker.

His Honour's ANSWER.

GENTLEMEN,

I THANK you for this very obliging Address. Your Loyalty, testified on this, as on all Occasions, and the proper Light in which you consider the important Advantages derived to these Colonies, by the vigorous and successful Prosecution of the War, must approve you highly worthy of the Confidence reposed in you by His Majesty.

With Pleasure, I join in the Sentiments you so justly entertain of the General, whose distinguished Abilities have deservedly recommended him to the Royal Favour, and gained him universal Esteem and Applause.
CADWALLADER COLDEN.
Fort-George, New-York, Sept. 4, 1761.

To the Honourable CADWALLADER COLDEN, Esq; His Majesty's Lieutenant-Governor and Commander in Chief, in and over the Colony of New-York, and the Territories depending thereon in America:
The Humble ADDRESS of the General Assembly of the said Colony.

May it please your Honour,

WE His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the General Assembly of the Colony of New-York, congratulate your Honour on your being appointed Lieutenant Governor of this Colony; and it is with Pleasure we observe, that any Support and Assistance afforded on our Part, and which your Honour is pleased to think so necessary to your Discharge of the weighty Duties of Government, have met with your Approbation.

The Requisition your Honour makes of a Proportion of a small Body of Men, for the Protection of the several Forts, we have taken into our Consideration; in which our Loyalty to his Majesty, and our Duty to our Constituents, suffered no Arguments

gements to have Weight, but the Necessity of the Service.

When your Honour shall have laid before us the Informations you have received of the unfavourable Dispositions of the Indians, we shall not fail to give them our most serious Consideration, in order to investigate the Causes, and apply such Remedies as shall be thought necessary; for we are sensible that a Peace with them, is of the utmost Importance to this Colony.

Whatever your Honour shall lay before us, as conducive to the Happiness, Ease, and Prosperity of the good People of this Colony, we shall be willing at all Times to apply ourselves to, and shall as readily concur with your Honour in every Thing of that Nature, as if the Powers of Government were not for many Years to be lodged in other Hands.

As the Bravery and Conduct of Major General MONCKTON, are well known to have been of singular Service to his Country in general, and to these Colonies in particular, we confidently hope in his Civil Capacity he will be no less zealous in promoting the Welfare of this Colony.

Assembly-Chamber, By Order of the General Assembly, City of New-York, September 4, 1761. W. NICOLL, Speaker.

To which his HONOUR was pleased to return the following ANSWER:

GENTLEMEN,

I Thank you for the Congratulations in this Address. Your so ready Compliance with the General's Requisition, is a farther Instance of your Zeal and Sollicitude for the King's Service, which cannot fail of recommending the People of this Province to His Majesty's peculiar Favour.

I am confident your warmest Expectations from General MONCKTON's Abilities and Zeal, in promoting the Welfare of this Colony, will not be disappointed. CADWALLADER COLDEN.

Fort-George, New-York, Sept. 4, 1761.

On Tuesday Evening arrived here the Schooner John and Elizabeth, Capt. Cooper, in 18 Days from St. Christophers. He reports, that a large French Privateer Sloop, of about 15 Carriage Guns, and 80 Men, had attacked one of our Frigates, supposing her to be a Merchantman, but was quickly convinced of her Mistake, and brought into Antigua, and is like to turn out a good Prize.

Between the Latitude 38 and 40, near our Coast, Capt. Cooper saw two Sloops, which tried to speak with him, but he apprehending them to be Privateers, out failed, and left them.

The Privateer Brig Mars, Captain Hansen, arrived here Yesterday from a Cruise.

Since our last Victualling Ship arrived here from Cork, in 9 Weeks. She came out with several others, under Convoy, but parted Company in bad Weather.

His Majesty's Ship the Devonshire, of 64 Guns; and the Penance of 40, now lie at the Watering Place.

PHILADELPHIA, September 10.

On Friday last was brought in here by Captain John Blair, a re-taken Schooner, Captain Davidson late Master, bound to Quebec from Guadaloupe; who, on the Eighth of last Month, to the Eastward of Bermuda, was taken by a French Privateer Sloop, of 12 Carriage Guns, belonging to Martinico. The next Day the said Privateer fell in with the Ship Sarah, Captain Katter, of this Place, bound to St. Christophers, when a smart Engagement ensued, which lasted for four Glasses; and after the first Glais the Frenchman hung up his bloody Flag, upon which Katter's Men agreed to stand by the Ship to the last, and accordingly plied the Enemy so warmly, that he thought proper to sheer off, in a shattered Condition, after having made several Attempts to board the Sarah. None of Captain Katter's People received any Hurt; the Loss of the Privateer not known, but it was thought a principal Officer, and several of her Hands, were killed. On the 13th of August Captain Katter, about 75 Leagues South-east of Bermuda, retook, and sent in the above Vessel; her Lading Molasses, Rum, &c.

The Bedford, Captain Kidd, from Madeira for this Port, is taken, and carried to Martinico.

WILLIAMSBURG, September 4.

Extra of a Letter from NORFOLK, August 31.

Arrived Yesterday at this Port the Ship Industry, Smallwood, the Brigantine Nancy, Blake, and the Sloop —, Cooper, from Barbados. This Day arrived the Schooner Trial, James Barran Master, in 18 Days from Antigua; in which came Passenger John Sheep, late Master of the Sloop Adventure, belonging to Colonel Robert Tucker of this Place, taken on her Passage to Antigua: Capt. Sheep says he left Martinico the 3d Instant, in his Majesty's Ship Culoden, which Sir James Douglas had sent in there as a Flag of Truce; that the Success which the French Privateers had on this Coast last Spring hath induced them to fit out 10 Sloops and Schooners, carrying 10 or 12 Guns each, to cruise off our Capes; and that they were so very presumptive as to declare their Destination, and offered his Mate a very high Consideration to pilot them to Cape Henry. As they were clear to sail when he left Martinico, doubtless they are now near this Coast. There can be no Reason to doubt the Truth of this, as Capt. Sheep is a Man of known Veracity."

ANNAPOLIS, September 17.

Several Tobacco Ships are gone down the Bay, in order to have the Benefit of Convoy. Some others, ready for Sailing, lie Wind bound; the Wind being due South.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, ANNAPOLIS, Enter'd, NONE.

Cleared for Departure,

Ship Charming Nancy, George Bruth, for London;

Ship Fanny, Richard Lane, for Ditto;

Ship Two Sisters, Benjamin Bell, for Ditto;
Ship Dolphin, Dougal McDougal, for Ditto;
Ship Capel, Wells Waring, for Ditto;
Snow Eagle, John Curling, for Ditto;
Ship Dragon, Middleton Belt, for Ditto;
Ship Neptune, James Steward, for Ditto.

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Virginia, Sept. 9th, 1761.

JUST arrived in Rappahannock River, from the Windward Coast, Africa, the Ship PEGGY, Capt. CUTHBERT DAVIS, with a Cargo of choice healthy SLAVES. The Sale will begin at FREDERICKSBURG on Tuesday the 22d of September, and continue till all are Sold.

CHAMPE and HUNTER.

To be SOLD by AUCTION, +/

On TUESDAY next, being the 22d of September, at the House of Mr. William Reynolds, in ANNAPOLIS,

A NEGRO WOMAN, that can Cook, Wash and Iron, and do any Household Work:

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Townside, Sept. 8, 1761.

To be LET, upon Lease for a Term of Years,

A PLANTATION, STOCK and HANDS, on the Red-Lyon-Branch, on Chester River, in Queen-Anne's County, Maryland.

The Hands are Slaves; the Stock consists of Horses, Mares, black Cattle, Sheep, Goats and Swine. The Tenement is under good Fence, the Housing in good Order. The Tract is 220 Acres, of which about 90 clear'd; but the Tenant will have Liberty to clear new Ground without Restraint or Limitation; the Owner being possessed of 1400 Acres of Wood Land contiguous. There is a young Peach and Plumb Orchard on the Tract, and several Apple and Cherry Trees. There is a Grift Mill on the same open Ground.

The Terms (on Security if required) will not exceed the Worth of the Hire of the Hands, added to the Interest of the Value of the Stock, and a moderate Rent.

There is good Fishing in Shad and Herring Season, on the Coast of this Tract, which is surrounded by Merchant Mills and Stores of all Sorts, and an Inspection House at about a Mile and a Half Distance. The Range of Woods is very considerable for raising of Stock, there being some Thousand Acres of such.

H. CALLISTER.

N. B. There is a Crop of Wheat in the Ground, an Equivalent to which must be stipulated to be left on the Expiration of the Lease, or otherwise compensated.

Pursuant to the Last Will and Testament of JOHN HYNSON, deceased,

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Friday the Second Day of October next,

A PLANTATION and TENEMENT on Eastern-Neck-Island, in Kent County, containing about One Hundred and Fifty Acres of Land, on which is a good Dwelling-House with a Brick Chimney, and convenient Out-Houses: It is very good Land, and a good Place for raising Stock.

Also, Sundry Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs, to be Sold at the same Time on the Premises, by X/ P. S. A. FRANCES HYNSON, Executrix.

Annapolis, Sept. 17, 1761.

WHEREAS about a Fortnight ago, some evil-minded wicked Person, cut and gash'd one of my Horses in his Legs, in a most barbarous Manner; and on Sunday Night last, cut and wounded another of my Horses in the Neck, whereby they are rendered almost Useless.

This is therefore to give Notice, That if any Person will Discover the Author or Authors of those base and cruel Actions, so that they be convicted thereof by Law, shall receive FIFTY DOLLARS Reward if done by a Free Person, and TWELVE DOLLARS if a Slave, paid by NATHAN HAMMOND, junr.

ALL Persons having Demands against the Estate of Capt. Joseph Belt, junior, late of Prince-George's County, deceased, are desired to bring them in duly Proved; and those Indebted to the said Estate, are desired to make speedy Payment to EDWARD SPRIGG, Executor.

LIKEWISE,

ALL Persons having any Claims on the Estate of Col. Joseph Belt, late of Prince-George's County, deceased, are desired to bring them in, that they may be paid; and those Indebted to the said Estate, are requested to make immediate Payment to EDWARD SPRIGG, } Executors.
JOSEPH A. HUMPHREY BELT, }

W A N T E D,

A BLACKSMITH, who understands Plan-tation Work. Such an one will meet with extraordinary Encouragement, to settle near Patowmack, and will have constant Employ, and a good Plantation to live on.

Enquire at the Printing-Office. *W. A. M.*

NICHOLAS GRIFFIN, MILLWRIGHT,

HEREBY gives Notice, That he Builds or Repairs all Sorts of Wind or Water Mills, either for Grain or Timber; also Horse-Mills or Chocolate Mills; in the best and neatest Manner. N. B. He is to be spoke with, at Mr. Jacob Lusby's at South-River Ferry, or at Mr. John Golder's in Annapolis.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the Premises, by the Subscriber, surviving Executor of Peter Dicks, Esq; of Chester County, in the Province of Pennsylvania, Deceased, on the 15th Day of October next,

A TRACT of 542 Acres of LAND (held under a Warrant and Survey) situate in Manheim Township, in the County of York, in the said Province, adjoining to Land of Jacob Wynant and Martin Killmiller, thro' which runs a Stream of Water called Little Conewago, sufficient to work a Furnace.

And also, a Tract of 42 Acres of Land, situate in Germany Township in the said County, distant about two Miles from the other Tract, adjoining to Land of John Yenglin and Jacob Kuntz, on which is discovered great plenty of Iron Ore; this last Tract is also held by Warrant and Survey.

Attendance will be given on the Day of Sale, where the Conditions may be seen.

WILLIAM SWAFFER.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living on Elk-Ridge in Anne-Arundel County, on the 14th Day of August last, a Convict Servant Man named John Todd, a thick, well-set Fellow, about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, short yellow Hair and red Beard, has a down-cast sulky Look, and speaks in the Country Dialect. Had on and took with him, an old Duroy Coat lined with white Tammy, a brown Cloth ditto, a red Broad Cloth Waistcoat, a spotted Swanekin ditto, Buckskin Breeches almost new, new Hempen Roll Trowsers, white and Off-nabrigs Shirts, old Country made Shoes, and a Felt Hat.

It's probable he may change his Apparel.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and brings him to the Subscriber, shall have Ten Pounds Reward, paid by JOHN DORSEY.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in Annapolis, on the 10th of this Instant September, a Convict Servant Man named Robert Wood, by Trade a Wheel-wright and House-Carpenter, was born in Gloucestershire in England, about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 10 or 11 Inches high, a luffy well-set Fellow, of a pale Complexion, has a very ill Look, and slow of Speech; he wears his own brown short Hair. Had on when he went away, a dark colour'd Cloth Coat very much worn, a Lapell'd strip'd Jacket, Offnabrigs Trowsers, one old white Shirt, blue ribbed Stockings, a Pair of black Leather Shoes lately soled, and an old Castor Hat very Greasy on the Top.

Whoever takes up the said Runaway, and brings him to the Subscriber, shall have Two Pistoles Reward, beside reasonable Charges, if taken in this Province, and Five Pounds if taken out of it, paid by NICHOLAS MINSKIE.

August 20, 1761.

STRAYED or STOLEN from Mr. Samuel Magruder's in Frederick County, a large Black Horse about 15 Hands high, paces and gallops well, his Mane hangs on both Sides of his Neck, has a Bob Tail, a small Snip on one Side of his Nose, shod before, and his Brand forgot.

Whoever brings the said Horse to Jasper Mauduit near Bladenburg, shall receive Ten Shillings; if Stolen, and the Thief secured, Twenty Shillings.

CAME to H. Callister's Plantation on the Red-Lyon-Branch, in Queen-Anne's County, on the 19th of August, 1761, as a Stray, a White Gelding, 12 Hands 3 Inches high, with a light Grey Mane and a long Bob Tail, supposed to be 11 Years old, without Brand or Ear-mark visible, and no Pacer.

The Owner, proving his Property and paying Charges, may take him away.

H. CALLISTER.

THERE is at the Plantation of Margaret Ward, in the Fork of Seneca, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, an old Bay Horse about 12 Hands and 3 Inches high, has a Star in his Forehead, and branded on the near Shoulder z.

The Owner may have him again, on proving this Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Ezekiel Porter, in Worcester County, taken up as a Stray, a Grey Mare about 4 Feet 2 Inches high, trots naturally, has a hanging Mane on the off Side, Bob Tail, has had a fore Back, and her Shoulders hurt by Work.

The Owner may have her again, on proving this Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Zephaniah Walker, near Snowden's Works in Prince-George's County, taken up as a Stray, a dark Bay Mare about 12 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder and Buttock T D, a large Star in her Forehead, and a Snip on her Nose.

The Owner may have her again, on proving this Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Benjamin Ten-nely, at the Mouth of Manockasy in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a middle-siz'd dark Brown Mare, branded on one of her Buttocks D

T M, and has some Saddle Spots on her Back. The Owner may have her again, on proving this Property, and paying Charges.

TO BE RUN FOR,

On the usual Race-Ground at Upper-Marlborough,

ON Tuesday the Twentieth of October next, the best in Three Heats, each Heat three Rounds, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, the Sum of THIRTY POUNDS: Each Horse, &c. to carry 126 lbs. and to pay Forty Shillings Entrance Money, or Twenty Shillings to Subscribers, and to be Entered the Day before Running, with Mr. Brookes, or Mr. Scott.

And on the Day following will be Run for, on the same Race-Ground, by any Horse, &c. (the winning Horse the first Day excepted) the Entrance Money, and what else shall be made up by Subscription, to carry 126 lbs.

Entrance the second Day Twenty Shillings, or Ten Shillings to Subscribers.

Pistoles, Dollars, or Pennsylvania Money to be received and paid.

All Disputes arising to be settled by Judges to be appointed before the Day of Running.

Annapolis, Sept. 10, 1761.

WHEREAS some evil-minded Person has lately, in a private Manner, lam'd a valuable Horse belonging to the Subscriber, and wounded a Cow by cutting and slashing her with a Knife or some other sharp Instrument, and last Week kill'd a Horse by breaking his Skull with a Hammer, or some such Weapon:

This is to give Notice, That if any Person will give Information, so that the Offender may be brought to Punishment, they shall receive FIVE POUNDS Reward. SAMUEL MIDDLETON.

A PERSON understanding the County Clerk's Business, who comes well recommended, and willing to engage for 3, 4, or 5 Years, may meet with very good Encouragement by applying to Richard Ward Key in St. Mary's County.

Cecil County, North-East, Sept. 2, 1761.

STOLEN or STRAYED from the Subscriber about the first of June last, a middle sized Black Mare, a natural Pacer, shod before, a large Mane and Tail of coarse Hair curl'd, and branded on the near Shoulder with S B.

Any Person that takes up and secures said Mare, so that the Owner may get her again, shall have Forty Shillings, and if brought home reasonable Charges, paid by SAMUEL BOND.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Dispatch, Capt. Taylor, from MADEIRA and BARBADOS,

A PARCEL of the best Madeira WINES, Barbados RUM, SUGAR and LIMES, to be Sold by the Subscriber, at his Stores on Patuxent and Patowmack; where may also be had, great Variety of European and India GOODS, imported in the last Ships from London. Wholesale or Retail, for Bills, Cash, Tobacco, Wheat, Corn, and other Country Produce.

STEPHEN WEST.

X 3 TO BE SOLD

By JOSHUA EDMONDSON, living in VIENNA,

THE HULL of a VESSEL now on the Stocks, and nearly finished, of about 85 Tons, built of exceeding good well seasoned white Oak Timber, and very much after the Bermudas Mould.

IMPORTED from LONDON, In the Ship Baltimore, Captain Halbert Hanson, in July last, and to be Sold at the Subscriber's Store in BALTIMORE-TOWN, near the new Wharf, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco,

A NEAT Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable to either Summer or Winter Seasons.

3 JOHN MOALE.

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, at my House in the City of Annapolis,

A LIKELY Negro Boy lately imported from Guinea, a Servant Woman's Time, who has upwards of five Years to serve, and is a very good Mantua Maker, a good Boat well fitted, very suitable for a Ferry Boat, Cheshire Cheese, fine Salt, by the Bag or Bushel, each Bag containing four Bushels or thereabouts, a large Quantity of Oakum; and, as he has declined keeping Tavern, has sundry Sorts of Liquors to dispose of; yet still keeps good Entertainment for Travellers in a private Way.

JOHN INCH.

N. B. All Persons that are Indebted to him, by open Account or otherwise, are desired to come, settle, and pay the same; and those to whom he is Indebted, are desired to bring in their Accounts, that they may be adjusted and paid.

Baltimore-Town, Sept. 1, 1761.

TO BE RUN FOR,

On the Second Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, in October next, on the usual Race-Ground at BALTIMORE-TOWN,

THE PURSES as follow:

The first Day, the best in Three Heats, Three Times round the Ground for each Heat, being about Two Miles, a Purse of TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, to carry Nine Stone.

The Second Day, to be Run for, on the same Ground and Distance, a Purse of EIGHTEEN POUNDS, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, the winning Horse the preceding Day only excepted, to carry Weight for Inches, the Standard to be the same Weight as aforesaid, to carry Fourteen Pounds for the first Inch, and Seven Pounds for every Inch afterwards.

The Third Day, on the aforesaid Ground, Twice round for a Heat, to be Run for by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, under Four Years old, a Purse of TWELVE POUNDS, to carry the same Weight mentioned as above.

The Horses, &c. to be Entered the Day before the Race with William Lux. Each Horse, &c. for the first Day to pay Twenty-five Shillings; for the Second Day Twenty Shillings; and for the Third Day Twelve Shillings, Entrance Money; which Entrance Money will be applied towards making up higher Purse for the Second and Third Days.

Those who do not Enter their Horses on the Day appointed, to pay double Entrance.

WILLIAM LUX, Manager.

RAN away from the Subscriber of Frederick County (Virginia) a middle-siz'd Negro Fellow, a little pitted with the Small-Pox, something of the Tawny Complexion, was Imported in 1760, so that he scarcely speaks any English, but can work at the Smith's Trade, having been employed in his own Country in that Way. He Eloped the 3d of April last with a Wenche, that was afterwards taken from him at the Sugar-Lands on the Virginia Shore, and it's thought he got over into Maryland. Any Person that secures him in a Goal, so that I get him, shall have Forty Shillings, or if brought home, Four Pounds, and reasonable Charges, paid by

24 MICHAEL PYKE.

SHIPPED at London, on board the Capel, Capt. Wells Waring, Three Parcels of Goods, viz. a Chest, mark'd I C, N^o. I. and, a Chest and a Box, mark'd I R, N^o. I. & II. with a Figure of 4 and Crow's Foot between the Letters, for which no Owner can be found.

Any Person proving the Goods to be their Property, may have them, by applying to Mr. Charles Grubbs, Merchant at Lower-Marlborough, or to the Captain on board the said Ship in Patuxent.

TO BE RUN FOR,

On the Third Thursday in October next, on the usual Race-Ground near GEORGE-TOWN, in Frederick County,

A PURSE of TWENTY-FIVE POUNDS, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, that never started further than a Quarter of a Mile for any Sum.

And, on the Day following, the Entrance Money of both Days, and what other Money may be made up, on the same Terms as the first Day (the winning Horse the preceding Day only excepted). Horses 14 Hands high to carry Nine Stone, and to raise or fall according to the common Rules of Racing.

The Distance to be Run about Two Miles to a Heat, Three Times round the Poles, the two best Heats in three to win the Race.

Three Horses to Start or no Race.

The Entrance Money the first Day Twenty Shillings, and Ten Shillings the second Day.

The Horses to be Entered the Day before Running, with Messieurs Joseph Belt and John Orme, or pay double Entrance if entered the Day of Running.

All Differences that may arise will be determined by Messieurs Thomas Johns and Walter Evans, who are appointed Managers.

The Horses to Start precisely by II o'Clock.

TO BE RUN FOR,

On Thursday the Fifteenth of October, at JOPPA in BALTIMORE County,

A PRIZE of THIRTY POUNDS, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, the Best of Three Heats, Two Rounds to each Heat, to carry 126 lbs. The Horses, &c. to pay Thirty Shillings Entrance Money, and to be Entered with Mr. Henry James Three Days before the Race, or to pay double Entrance.

On Friday the 16th, a PRIZE of FIFTEEN POUNDS, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, (the winning Horse the preceding Day excepted) to carry the same Weight. Each Horse, &c. to pay Fifteen Shillings Entrance, and to be Entered the Day before the first Race, or not allowed to Enter.

And on Saturday will be Run for, on the same Ground and Distance, by any Colts not exceeding four Years old last Spring, all the Entrance Money of the two preceding Days, and to catch Riders.

August 10, 1761.

RAN away last Night, from the Subscriber in Baltimore-Town, a Convict Servant Man named John Nelson, by Trade a Gardener and Brick-maker, aged about 30 Years, of a brown Complexion, and is a straight-bodied Man: Had on when he went away, a Cloth Coat of a brownish Colour, a black figur'd Velvet Jacket, a Pair of Claret colour'd Cloth Breeches with Silver Buttons, an Osnabrig Shirt, a Pair of bluish Worsted Stockings, new Shoes, a dark Grey Wig, a Felt Hat about Half worn, and a dark colour'd Great Coat. He came into the Country this Summer, and it's likely he has got a forged Pass.

As a large Grey Stallion is missing, branded on the near Buttock T R, it is supposed he is stole and rode away by the said Nelson.

Whoever takes up and brings home the said Runaway, shall have Ten Shillings if taken within 10 Miles from home, Twenty Shillings if taken within 20 Miles, and Forty Shillings if taken at a greater Distance from home, beside what the Law allows, paid by BENJAMIN ROGERS.

August 24, 1761.

RAN away last Night, from the Subscriber, living near Bladenburg in Frederick County, a Convict Servant Man named Patrick Donald, about 22 or 23 Years of Age, a thick well-set Fellow, of a pale Complexion, with Hair of a yellowish Colour, which he usually ties behind. His Cloathing is an old brown Fustian Coat mended under the Arms, with a Cape and Metal Buttons, a Fustian Jacket pieced in the Back with Osnabrigs, an old Pair of brown Cloth Breeches, blue Worsted Stockings, a Pair of yellow Metal Buckles, two Check Shirts, one broad striped, the other narrow, and an old fine Hat dusted with Flour, as his Business has been always in a Mill; all which he may change. He is supposed to be in Company with a lusty elderly Man, who usually wears a brown colour'd Coat with a large Cape.

Whoever takes up and secures the said Servant, shall have Two Pistoles Reward, if taken in this Province; and if out of it, Four Pistoles, with all reasonable Charges, if brought home, paid by SAMUEL BEALL, junior.

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Where may be had all the Pamphlets which have been wrote and published in this Controversy; namely,

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A L S O,

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The Subscriber, having declined Tavern-keeping, has sundry Materials for carrying on that Business to dispose of, such as, an extraordinary good Billiard-Table, old Jamaica Rum, Barbados Ditto, London Porter, &c. &c. She yet proposes to keep a House of Entertainment for private Gentlemen, where those that choose to favour her with their Company, may depend upon good Usage.

DEBORAH WILKINS, Executrix of William Wilkins.

Leonard-Town, August 17, 1761.

TO be Run for, on Tuesday the 29th Day of September, on the usual Race-Ground at LEONARD-TOWN, the best in Three Heats, twice round the Ground for each Heat, being about two Miles, A Purse of FORTY POUNDS, by any Horse, Mare or Gelding, that never before won a Purse of Twenty Pounds, or the Value thereof. Horses of 14 Hands to carry 10 Stone, and below that Measure, Weight for Inches, seven Pounds to be allowed for each Inch.

On the Day following will be Run for, on the same Ground and Distance, A Purse of about FIFTEEN POUNDS, by any Colts, not exceeding Four Years old, the winning Horse the preceding Day only excepted, each Colt to carry eight Stone.

The Horses to be Entered on the Day before the Race with Timothy Bowes; each Horse, for the first Day, to pay Forty Shillings Entrance, (which Entrance Money will be applied towards making up the Purse for the second Day). Ten Shillings to be paid for each Horse Entered for the second Day, which Entrance Money will be given to the Second Best Horse. Those who do not Enter their Horses on the Day appointed, to pay double Entrance.

No Race unless Three Horses Start.

All Differences that may arise will be determined by Messieurs George Plater, Norman Bruce, and Thompson Mason, Managers.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near Upper-Marlborough, on the 26th of February last, a Country-born Negro Fellow named Anthony, by Trade a Cooper, about 28 Years of Age, and 5 Feet 4 Inches high. He had on an old Cotton Coat with white Metal Buttons, Cotton Breeches, a Kersey, and Swanskin Jacket, Negro Shoes and Stockings, a Felt Hat, and an Osnabrigs Shirt. But it is probable he will change his Apparel, as he had Variety of Cloaths with him. He has been used to work on board Ships in Patuxent River, and it is supposed is somewhere thereabouts.

Whoever will take up the said Negro, and bring him home, shall have Forty Shillings, beside what the Law allows, if taken in the County; and if taken out of it, Three Pounds, beside what the Law allows, paid by

JOHN GANTT.

Upper-Marlborough, July 14, 1761.

JUST IMPORTED

In the ESSEX, Capt. CURLING, from LONDON, A LARGE Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, and to be Sold at the Subscriber's Store, by Wholesale or Retail, for Cash, Bills, or Tobacco.

DANIEL CARROLL.

July 28, 1761.

STRAYED or Stolen from the Subscriber, a large Dark Bay Horse, about Fourteen Hands and a Half high, he has no Brand, or if any, unknown, he paces slow, and goes hard, has been lately trimmed near his Ears, has a short Switch Tail, and hanging Mane, and what is remarkable in his going, he is apt to shift his Feet when Forced in a Pace. Whoever brings the Horse to the Subscriber near Port-Tobacco, or to Mr. Colmore Bazaar at Nottingham, shall have Twenty Shillings Reward.

THOMAS CONTER.

June 8th, 1761.

STRAYED from the Subscriber, near Port-Tobacco in Charles County, on the 23d of last Month, a middle-siz'd White Horse, paces naturally, has a bob Tail, and a ridge Mane. Whether he is branded or not, is uncertain. Whoever takes up the said Horse, and brings him to the Subscriber, shall have a Reward of Twenty Shillings, and reasonable Charges, paid by

JOHN HANSON, junior.

Frederick-Town, June 1761.

SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

FOR raising Sixteen Hundred Pieces of Eight, for Building a CHURCH for the Reformed CALVINISTS in Frederick-Town, Frederick County, to consist of 4000 Tickets at Three Pieces of Eight each, viz.

Number of Prizes.	Pieces of Eight.	Total Value.
1 of	500 is	500
2 of	300 are	600
3 of	150 are	450
4 of	100 are	400
10 of	50 are	500
12 of	40 are	480
20 of	30 are	600
35 of	20 are	700
200 of	8 are	1600
900 of	5 are	4500

1187 Prizes. First drawn Ticket 40
2813 Blanks. Last drawn Ticket 30
Sum raised 1600

4000 Tickets at 3 Dollars each, are 12000

BY the above Scheme there are not 2½ Blanks to a Prize, and the Profits retained are not 15 per Cent on the whole.

As a great Number of the Tickets are already engaged, the Drawing will be in October next, or sooner, if sooner full, in the Court-House of said County, of which sufficient Notice will be given in this Gazette.

The Managers appointed are, Messieurs Christopher Edelin, Stephen Ranburg, James Dickson, Thomas Schley, Conrad Grosch, Casper Shaaff, Thomas Price, Samuel Swearingen, Valentine Adam, and William Kimbol, who are to give Bond, and be upon Oath for the faithful Discharge of this Trust.

A List of the Prizes will be published in this Gazette, as soon as the Drawing is finished; and paid off without any Deduction.

N. B. Seven Shillings and Six-Pence Pennsylvania Currency, will be received for each Piece of Eight in the Sale of the Tickets, and the same Currency is to pass upon the same Terms in paying off the Prizes.

Tickets may be had of any of the Managers, and at the Printing-Office in Annapolis.

WHEREAS the Act of Assembly of this Province, made and passed in 1733, for emitting and making current Ninety Thousand Pounds, is near Expiring; The Commissioners of the Loan Office therefore think it their Duty, to inform all those who have any Bonds in that Office, to come and discharge the same; or otherwise they will be proceeded against as the Law directs.

Signed per Order,

ROBERT COUDEN, Cl. P. C. Office.

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